

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION

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**SEP 28 2016**

U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MO  
ST. LOUIS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )

Plaintiff, )

v. )

DESHAWN DENTON, KENDREAL  
GRAHAM, and KHYLON HAMPTON, )

Defendants. )

**4:16CR00429 HEA/PLC**

**INDICTMENT**

**COUNT ONE**

The Grand Jury charges that:

On or about February 7, 2016, in the City of St. Louis within the Eastern District of  
Missouri,

**DESHAWN DENTON and  
KENDREAL GRAHAM,**

the Defendants herein, acting together, with intent to cause death and serious bodily harm, took  
from the person and presence of another, by force, violence, and intimidation, a motor vehicle,  
that is, a 2009 Dodge Journey, vehicle identification number ("VIN") 3D4GG57V89T600406,  
that had been transported in interstate commerce.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2119 and 2, and punishable under  
Title 18, United States Code, Section 2119(1).

**COUNT TWO**

The Grand Jury further charges that:

On or about February 7, 2016, in the City of St. Louis within the Eastern District of  
Missouri,

**DESHAWN DENTON and  
KENDREAL GRAHAM,**

the Defendants herein, acting together, knowingly possessed and brandished a firearm, in furtherance of a crime of violence for which they may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, that is, armed carjacking, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2119, as set forth in Count One.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(c)(1) and 2, and punishable under Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c)(1)(A).

**COUNT THREE**

The Grand Jury further charges that:

On or about February 9, 2016, in the City of St. Louis within the Eastern District of Missouri,

**DESHAWN DENTON,  
KENDREAL GRAHAM, and  
KHYLON HAMPTON,**

the Defendants herein, acting together, with intent to cause death and serious bodily harm, took from the person and presence of another, by force, violence, and intimidation, a motor vehicle, that is, a 2016 Nissan Maxima, vehicle identification number ("VIN") 1N4AA5AP5EC449504, that had been transported in interstate commerce.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2119 and 2, and punishable under Title 18, United States Code, Section 2119(1).

**COUNT FOUR**

The Grand Jury further charges that:

On or about February 9, 2016, in the City of St. Louis within the Eastern District of Missouri,

**DESHAWN DENTON,  
KENDREAL GRAHAM, and  
KHYLON HAMPTON,**

the Defendants herein, acting together, knowingly possessed and brandished a firearm, in furtherance of a crime of violence for which they may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, that is, armed carjacking, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2119, as set forth in Count Three.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(c)(1) and 2, and punishable under Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c)(1)(A).

**COUNT FIVE**

The Grand Jury further charges that:

On or about February 9, 2016, in the City of St. Louis within the Eastern District of Missouri,

**DESHAWN DENTON,  
KENDREAL GRAHAM, and  
KHYLON HAMPTON,**

the Defendants herein, acting together, did unlawfully and willfully seize, confine, kidnap, abduct and carry away and hold M.U. and B.R. in order to obtain money and/or other property from them, and, in committing or in furtherance of the commission of the offense, did willfully transport M.U. and B.R. and travel in interstate commerce from Missouri to Illinois.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1201(a)(1) and 2, and punishable under Title 18, United States Code, Section 1201(a).

**COUNT SIX**

The Grand Jury further charges that:

On or about February 9, 2016, in the City of St. Louis within the Eastern District of Missouri,

**DESHAWN DENTON,  
KENDREAL GRAHAM, and  
KHYLON HAMPTON,**

the Defendants herein, acting together, knowingly possessed and brandished a firearm, in furtherance of a crime of violence for which they may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, that is, kidnapping, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1201, as set forth in Count Five.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(c)(1) and 2, and punishable under Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c)(1)(A).

A TRUE BILL

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